

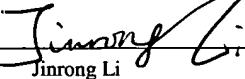


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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
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Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents under 37 CFR 1.136(a), to extend the time for response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated April 16, 2001. This extension will extend the time the response is due from June 16, 2001 to July 16, 2001.

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